H. R. 3328

For the relief of Gerald Robert Christopher Haefelin.

IN THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

July 18, 2005

Mr. Spratt introduced the following bill; which was referred to the Committee on the Judiciary

A BILL

For the relief of Gerald Robert Christopher Haefelin.

- 1 Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representa-
- 2 tives of the United States of America in Congress assembled,
- 3 SECTION 1. PERMANENT RESIDENT STATUS FOR GERALD
- 4 ROBERT CHRISTOPHER HAEFELIN.
- 5 (a) In General.—Notwithstanding subsections (a)
- 6 and (b) of section 201 of the Immigration and Nationality
- 7 Act, Gerald Robert Christopher Haefelin shall be eligible
- 8 for issuance of an immigrant visa or for adjustment of
- 9 status to that of an alien lawfully admitted for permanent
- 10 residence upon filing an application for issuance of an im-
- 11 migrant visa under section 204 of such Act or for adjust-
- 12 ment of status to lawful permanent resident.

- 1 (b) Adjustment of Status.—If Gerald Robert
- 2 Christopher Haefelin enters the United States before the
- 3 filing deadline specified in subsection (c), he shall be con-
- 4 sidered to have entered and remained lawfully and shall,
- 5 if otherwise eligible, be eligible for adjustment of status
- 6 under section 245 of the Immigration and Nationality Act
- 7 as of the date of the enactment of this Act.
- 8 (c) Deadline for Application and Payment of
- 9 FEES.—Subsections (a) and (b) shall apply only if the ap-
- 10 plication for issuance of an immigrant visa or the applica-
- 11 tion for adjustment of status is filed with appropriate fees
- 12 within 2 years after the date of the enactment of this Act.
- 13 (d) Reduction of Immigrant Visa Number.—
- 14 Upon the granting of an immigrant visa or permanent res-
- 15 idence to Gerald Robert Christopher Haefelin, the Sec-
- 16 retary of State shall instruct the proper officer to reduce
- 17 by 1, during the current or next following fiscal year, the
- 18 total number of immigrant visas that are made available
- 19 to natives of the country of the alien's birth under section
- 20 203(a) of the Immigration and Nationality Act or, if appli-
- 21 cable, the total number of immigrant visas that are made
- 22 available to natives of the country of the alien's birth
- 23 under section 202(e) of such Act.
- 24 (e) Denial of Preferential Immigration
- 25 Treatment for Certain Relatives.—The natural

- 1 parents, brothers, and sisters of Gerald Robert Chris-
- 2 topher Haefelin shall not, by virtue of such relationship,
- 3 be accorded any right, privilege, or status under the Immi-

4 gration and Nationality Act.

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